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Whitehall, Auguſt 27, 1768.

*WHEREAS it has been humbly repreſented to His Majeſty, that on Tueſday Evening laſt, Auguſt the 23d, a Body of Sailors, to the Number of Five Hundred or Six Hundred, being rioteuſly and tumultuouſly aſſembled, came down to Limehouſe, and then ſent off Ten of their Number in a Boat to the Ship Middleton, Henry Clark, Commander, having Felons on Board, ſentenced to be tranſported to His Majeſty's Plantations in America; which ſaid Ten Perſons forcibly boarded and entered the ſaid Ship, declaring they would hinder her proceeding on her Voyage, as alſo every other outward-bound Veſſel in the River Thames, unleſs their Maſters entered into Articles with their Men for advanced Wages; and for this Purpoſe carried away the Chief Mate of the ſaid Ship againſt his Will, and at the ſame Time extorted Money from the Maſter of the ſaid Ship, for their Boat-Hire, by threatening to ſtrip the Ship of all her Rigging, and to turn the Felons on Shore: His Majeſty, for the Diſcovery of the Offenders in this moſt daring Inſult on His Government, and in order to bring them to Juſtice, is pleaſed hereby to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of the ſaid Ten Perſons, who ſhall make Diſcovery of one or more of his Accomplises, ſo that he or they be convicted of the ſaid Offence; and, as a further Encouragement, His Majeſty is pleaſed to promiſe to any Perſon who ſhall diſcover one or more of the ſaid Offenders, a Reward of* FIFTY POUNDS, *to be paid on Conviction by the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury.*

*And whereas Information has been given, that, on the ſame Evening, and the Morning following, divers other Ships in the River Thames were likewiſe forcibly boarded, and ſeveral of their Men carried away by Violence, under the ſame Pretence of not ſuffering the Ships to ſail till the Seamen's Wages are increaſed: His Majeſty is pleaſed, in like Manner, for the Diſcovery of the ſaid Offenders, to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of the Accomplices therein, and a Reward of* TWENTY POUNDS, *to any Perſon who ſhall make ſuch Diſcovery; to be paid, in the like Manner, on Conviction of them, or any of them.*

SHELBURNE.

St. James's, Auguſt 25, 1768.

*Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, That the Door of the Counting-Houſe of Meſſ. Johnſton and Smith, Bankers, in the Exchange at Edinburgh; was, on Friday the 12th Inſtant, in the Night, opened by ſome wicked Perſon or Perſons unknown, (who it is ſuppoſed made Uſe of a counterfeit Key for that Purpoſe;) and that Bank Notes, ſmall Notes, and Silver, amounting in the Whole to 830l. 2s. as hereunder mentioned, were ſtolen out of Drawers in the ſaid Counting-House, and carried off, (225l. of which was afterwards found in the Streets) viz.*

| | £ | s. | d. |
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| Of the Royal Bank and Bank of Scotland | 194 | 9 | 0 |
| Britiſh Linen Company | 362 | 2 | 0 |
| Dumfries Notes | 126 | 0 | 0 |
| Glaſgow ditto | 64 | 10 | 0 |
| General Bank of Perth | 32 | 0 | 0 |
| Dundee Notes (Jobſon's) | 40 | 0 | 0 |
| Several ſmall Notes and Silver | 11 | 1 | 0 |
| | 830 | 2 | 0 |

*His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in the above Crimes, is hereby pleaſ..' to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Perſon principally concerned therein) who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices in the ſaid Crimes, ſo that he, ſhe, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.*

WEYMOUTH.

*And, as a further Encouragement, the ſaid Meſſ. Johnſton and Smith do hereby promiſe a Reward of* TWENTY GUINEAS *to any Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, (except a above excepted;) to be paid by them on the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.*

St. James's, Auguſt 27, 1768.

*Whereas it hath been humbly repreſented to the King, That notwithſtanding the well-adapted Plan, which the Manufacturers in Spitalfields are vigorouſly purſuing for the Benefit of the Journeymen in every Branch of the Manufactory, yet a great Number of evil-diſpoſed Perſons, armed with Piſtols, Cutlaſſes, and other offenſive Weapons, and in Diſguiſe, aſſembled themſelves together about the Hour of Twelve in the Night of the 20th Day of Auguſt Inſtant, and forcibly entered into the Dwelling-Houſe of Nathaniel Farr, a Journeymen Weaver, ſituate in Pratt's Alley near Spitalfields aforeſaid, and cut to Pieces and deſtroyed the Silk-Works then manufacturing in Two different Looms there, belonging to Meſſ. Phipps and Everard, of Primroſe-Street; and alſo forcibly broke open and entered the Dwelling Houſe of Elizabeth Pratt in the ſame Alley, and then and there feloniouſly and maliciouſly murdered one Edward Fitchet, a Lad of about Seventeen Years of Age, by wilfully Shooting him through the Head with a Piſtol, which was loaden with*

*with ſeveral ſquare cut Pieces of Lead or Pewter, and ſeveral Times fired at another Perſon in the ſaid laſt-mentioned Houſe: His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in the ſaid ſeveral Outrages and Murder, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one or more of them, (except the Perſon who actually committed the ſaid Murder) who ſhall diſcover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.* WEYMOUTH.

*And, as a further Encouragement, the ſaid ſeveral Manufacturers do hereby promiſe a Reward of* FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS *to any Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, (except as before excepted;) to be paid on Conviction of any one or more of the ſaid Offenders, by their Attorney and Solicitor Thomas Phillips, in Wood-Street, Spital-fields.* Tho. Phillips.

East-India Houſe, September 2, 1768.

*The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt Indies, do hereby give Notice,*

*That the Transfer Books of the Eaſt-India Annuities will be ſhut on Wedneſday the 14th Day of this Inſtant September, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Wedneſday the 12th of October following.*

*That the Dividend Warrants, due the 10th of October next, will be ready to be delivered on Thurſday the 3d of November following.*

East-India Houſe, September 2, 1768.

*The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt Indies do hereby give Notice,*

*That a Quarterly General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Leadenhall-Street, on Wedneſday the 28th Day of this Inſtant September, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to conſider of Confirming the Alteration made the 6th of July laſt in the 17th By-Law, and for the Purpoſe of declaring a Dividend from Midſummer laſt to Chriſtmas next.*

*Notice is alſo hereby given, that according to the late Act of Parliament ſuch Dividend cannot be made otherwiſe than in purſuance of a Vote or Reſolution paſſed by Way of Balloting in a General Court of the ſaid Company.*

East-India Houſe, September 2, 1768.

*The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt Indies do hereby give Notice,*

*That a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Leadenhall-Street, on Wedneſday the 5th of April 1769, for the Election of Twenty-four Directors of the ſaid Company.*

*The ſaid Court do further give Notice, that in purſuance of an Act of Parliament paſſed in the 7th Year of His Majeſty's Reign, no Perſon will be entitled to vote at the ſaid Election, who has not been poſſeſſed of his or her Stock Six Calendar Months preceding, except in the Caſes provided for in the ſaid Act.*

NOtice is hereby given, that the Creditors of William Annetts, late of Newbury in the County of Berks, Maltſter, Dealer and Chapman, (againſt whom a Commiſſion of Bankrupt hath been awarded) are deſired to meet the Aſſignee under the ſaid Commiſſion, at the White Hart Inn in Newbury aforeſaid, on Friday the 9th Day of September inſtant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to conſider what is proper to be done in regard to the Eſtates of the ſaid Bankrupt, that a Dividend may be made as ſoon as poſſible.

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WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt, on the 3d of February 1720, iſſued againſt William Greenway, then of Liverpool, Merchant, and was renewed the 20th of June 1749; but ſome of the Proceedings under the ſaid Commiſſions being loſt, and a Dividend being ſoon to be made of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, ſuch of the ſaid Bankrupt's Creditors, who have proved their Debts under either of the ſaid Commiſſions, are hereby deſired to ſend an Account of their reſpective Debts to Mr. Scrope Colquitt, an Attorney, in Liverpool, with an Account of ſuch Dividend (in Part thereof) as was received by them, and the Place of their reſpective Habitation, in order that before a Dividend is advertized they may ſend in Proof by Affidavit, or may have particular Notice to attend ſuch Dividend, and there make new Proof, or be excluded. And the ſaid Creditors are deſired to meet the ſurviving Aſſignee of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt under the ſaid renewed Commiſſion, on Tueſday the 13th Day of September Inſtant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Houſe of Ann Fithwick, known by the Name of George's Coffee-houſe in Liverpool aforeſaid, in order to aſſent to or diſſent to his the ſaid Aſſignee's compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankruptcy awarded and iſſued againſt Edward Robarts, of the Minories, London, Linnen-draper, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, on Tueſday the 6th Day of September inſtant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Baptiſt Head Coffee-Houſe in Aldermanbury, London, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity; and compounding any Debt or Debts, and ſubmitting to Arbitration any Matter or Diſpute touching or concerning the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt.

THE Creditors of Thomas Sheriffe, of Burgay in the County of Suffolk, Merchant, a Bankrupt, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, at the Three Tuns in Bungay aforeſaid, on Tueſday the 13th Day of September, 1768, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon preciſely, to conſult on ſpecial Affairs relating to the ſaid Bankruptcy.

Such Perſons as are willing to purchaſe the Navigation, or any of the Eſtates lately advertiſed, may then attend, in order to treat for the ſame.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt John Riſhton, of the Pariſh of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middleſex, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Wedneſday next, at Six of the Clock in the Evening, at the Crown and Rolls Tavern in Chancery-Lane, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending one or more Actions or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of any Part of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors of Henry Salomons, of Auſtin Fryers, London, Broker, Dealer and Chapman, a Bankrupt, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Tueſday next, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, at the Rainbow Coffee-houſe in Cornhill, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching or concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or the compounding or ſubmitting to Arbitration any Matters in Diſpute relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

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THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued againſt Henry Snelling, late of Reading in the County of Berks, Linnendraper, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, on Tueſday the 6th Day of September inſtant, at Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Ship Tavern in Gracechurch Street, London, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending any Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Twells, late of Nag's Head Court, Clement's-Lane, in the City of London, Hoſier, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Wedneſday next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Croſs Keys in Wood-Street in the ſaid City, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; or their agreeing, compounding, or ſubmitting to Arbitration, any Debt or Debts due to the ſaid Eſtate; or on any other Matter or Thing relating thereto.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Samuel Edwards, of Friday-Street, London, Taylor, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for Eighteen Days, to be computed from the 6th Day of September inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 24th Day of September inſtant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Withers, late of the City of Briſtol, Tobacconiſt, Snuff-maker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 12th and 14th Days of September inſtant, and on the 15th Day of October next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Matthew Meaſe, Vintner, called the Nag's Head Tavern, in Wine-Street in the ſaid City of Briſtol, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Joſeph Hawkſwell, Attorney, in Briſtol.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Banyard, of Colnbrooke in the County of Buckingham, Apothecary, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 10th Day of September inſtant at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the 20th Day of the ſame Month at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 15th Day of October next at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Newby, Attorney, in Southampton Buildings, Chancery Lane.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Richard Darke, of Bedford-Street in the Pariſh of St. Paul Covent Garden in the County of Middleſex, Upholſterer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 8th Day of September inſtant at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on the 24th Day of the ſame Month, and on the 15th Day of October next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Malliſon, at N° 3. Love-Lane Aldermanbury, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt George Rook, late of Biddeford in the County of Devon, Timber-Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 8th Day of September inſtant at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, on the 24th Day of the ſame Month, and on the 15th Day of October next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Timothy Bennet, of the City of Norwich, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 24th Day of September inſtant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Mr. Joſeph Lindſey, known by the Sign of the Angel, ſituate in the Pariſh of St. Peter Mancroft in the ſaid City of Norwich, in order to make another Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Fletcher, of the Town of Kingſton upon Hull in the County of the Town of Kingſton upon Hull, Painter, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 28th Day of September inſtant, at Harry's Coffee-houſe in Kingſton upon Hull, in order to make a Second and Final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the ſame, or they will be diſallowed.

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